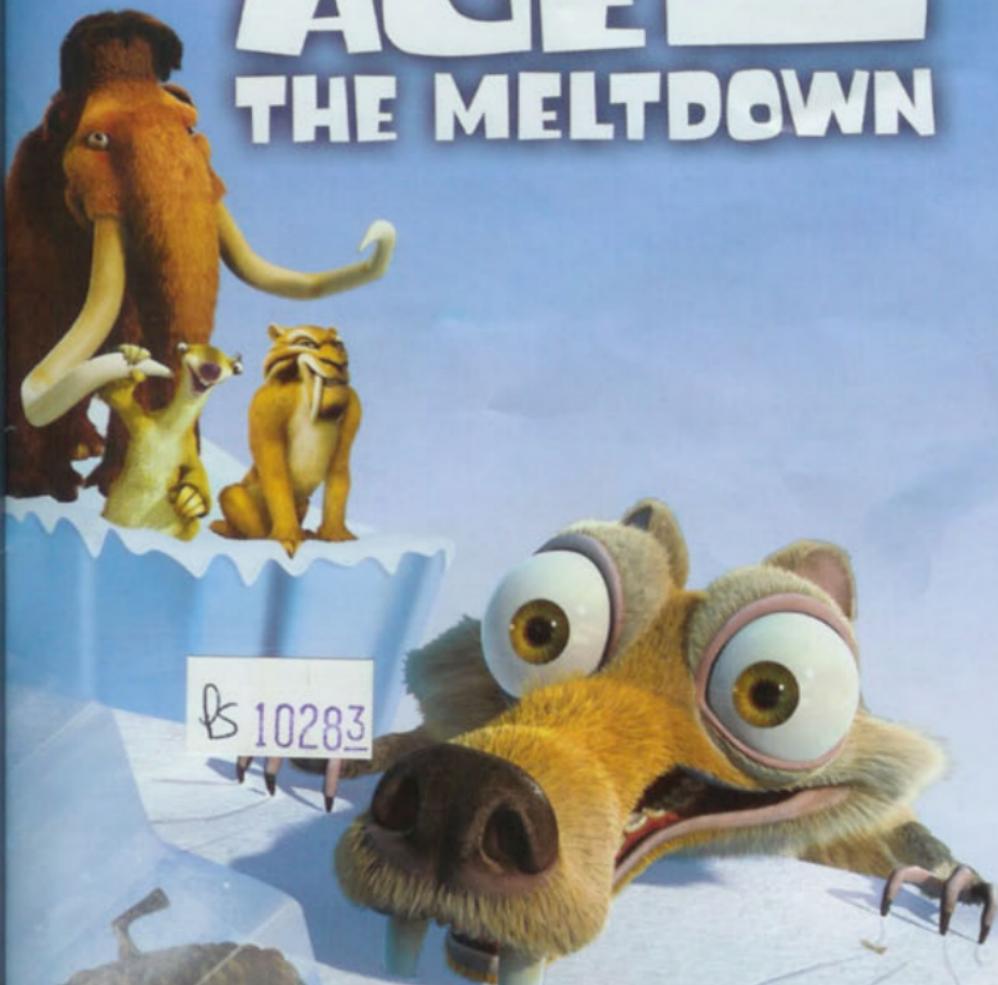


# ICE AGE 2

## THE MELTDOWN



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**IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION: READ THE FOLLOWING WARNINGS BEFORE YOU OR YOUR CHILD PLAY VIDEO GAMES**

### **⚠ WARNING - Seizures**

- Some people (about 1 in 4000) may have seizures or blackouts triggered by light flashes or patterns, such as while watching TV or playing video games, even if they have never had a seizure before.
- Anyone who has had a seizure, loss of awareness, or other symptom linked to an epileptic condition should consult a doctor before playing a video game.
- Parents should watch when their children play video games. Stop playing and consult a doctor if you or your child have any of the following symptoms:

Convulsions	Eye or muscle twitching	Loss of awareness
Altered vision	Involuntary movements	Disorientation

To reduce the likelihood of a seizure when playing video games:

1. Sit or stand as far from the screen as possible.
2. Play video games on the smallest available television screen.
3. Do not play if you are tired or need sleep.
4. Play in a well-lit room.
5. Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour.

### **⚠ WARNING - Repetitive Motion Injuries and Eyestrain**

Playing video games can make your muscles, joints, skin or eyes hurt after a few hours. Follow these instructions to avoid problems such as tendinitis, carpal tunnel syndrome, skin irritation or eyestrain:

- Avoid excessive play. It is recommended that parents monitor their children for appropriate play.
- Take a 10 to 15 minute break every hour, even if you don't think you need it.
- If your hands, wrists, arms or eyes become tired or sore while playing, stop and rest them for several hours before playing again.
- If you continue to have sore hands, wrists, arms or eyes during or after play, stop playing and see a doctor.

### **⚠ WARNING - Electric Shock**

To avoid electric shock when you use this system:

- Do not use the Nintendo GameCube during a lightning storm. There may be a risk of electric shock from lightning.
- Use only the AC adapter that comes with your system.
- Do not use the AC adapter if it has damaged, split or broken cords or wires.
- Make sure that the AC adapter cord is fully inserted into the wall outlet or extension cord.
- Always carefully disconnect all plugs by pulling on the plug and not on the cord. Make sure the Nintendo GameCube power switch is turned OFF before removing the AC adapter cord from an outlet.

### **⚠ CAUTION - Motion Sickness**

Playing video games can cause motion sickness. If you or your child feel dizzy or nauseous when playing video games with this system, stop playing and rest. Do not drive or engage in other demanding activity until you feel better.

### **⚠ CAUTION - Laser Device**

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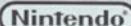


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## GETTING STARTED

### USING THE NINTENDO GAMECUBE™

- Set up your Nintendo GameCube™ by following the instructions in the Nintendo GameCube™ instruction booklet.
- To save your game progress you will need a Nintendo GameCube™ Memory Card. Insert the Memory Card correctly into Memory Card Slot A (this game does not use Slot B) before turning on the console. If you turn off the console after playing without a Memory Card, your progress and records will not be saved.
- You will need 6 blocks of memory to save your progress. You can delete unneeded files to clear up any empty space if you do not have enough memory.
- Please refer to the Nintendo GameCube™ instruction booklet (pages 18–20) for directions on how to format and delete a Memory Card file.
- Press the OPEN Button to raise the Nintendo GameCube™ Disc Cover, correctly place the *Ice Age 2 The Meltdown* Game Disc into the Nintendo GameCube™, and close the Disc Cover.
- Press the POWER Button to turn on the Nintendo GameCube™.
- Follow on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for more information about playing *Ice Age 2 The Meltdown*.

### AVOIDING DAMAGE TO THE NINTENDO GAMECUBE™ GAME DISC OR THE NINTENDO GAMECUBE™ OPTICAL DISC DRIVE

- Insert only Nintendo GameCube™ Game Discs in the console.
- Never use oddly shaped discs, such as star-shaped or heart-shaped discs.
- Do not apply labels, stickers or other foreign objects to game discs.

## USING THE NINTENDO GAMECUBE™ CONTROLLER



START/PAUSE or A Button ..... Start Game/Begin Play

START/PAUSE ..... Pause

Control Stick or + Control Pad ..... Select Options

Insert the Controller into Controller Socket 1 on the front of the console. Follow on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for more information about playing *Ice Age 2 The Meltdown*.

## BASIC CONTROLS

### SCRAT ON LAND

Control Stick	Player Movement
C Stick	Camera Movement
A Button	Jump
X Button	Pebble Toss
Y Button	Activate/Talk
B Button	Combo Attack
A Button + A Button	Double Jump
A Button + A Button + B Button	Ground Stomp
A Button + L Button	Roll Attack
Z Button (Hold)	Sniff
R Button (Hold)	First Person Camera
L Button	Spin Attack
R Button (Tap)	Center Camera

### SCRAT UNDERWATER

Control Stick	Player Movement
Y Button	Dive
A Button (Tap repeatedly)	Swim Forward
A Button (Surface)	Jump Out



## INTRODUCTION

The Ice Age is coming to an end! Pretty soon, the entire valley will be flooded as the ice dam melts away. Follow all of the animals as they make their way across the valley to safety. Along the way, help Scrat sniff out all of the acorns scattered about the land. Guide Sid as he zooms down the treacherous ice slide. And help our other heroes, Manny and Diego, as they take on new adventures.



## PLAYING THE GAME

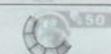
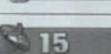
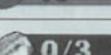
### MAIN MENU

New Game	Start a New Game
Load Game	Load a Saved Game
Options	Change Game Settings
Bonus Features	Access Unlocked Bonuses
Credits	View Credits

### PAUSE MENU

Continue	Return to Game
Hints	View Useful Hints
Save	Save Game
Options	Change Game Settings
Quit Game	Quit to Main Menu

### HUD (Heads Up Display)

 50	Scrat's Health
 50	Scrat's Energy
 20	Pebble Count
 15	Nut Count
 0/3	Walnut Count
 50	Sniff
 50	Carry
 50	Zipline
 50	Dig



### INTERACTIVE OBJECTS

	Dig Hole	Dig here for a goodie
	Scurry Hole	See what's on the other side
	Pebble Pile	Grab some more pebbles to toss by attacking these piles
	Plant	Hit these plants to see if any goodies pop out
	Hint Sign	When in doubt, take a peek at what these signs say
	Flowers	Hitting these will release petals

### COLLECTIBLES

	Pebbles	Pick these up and toss them at pesky creatures
	Petals	Replenishes health
	Small Brown Acorn	1 point towards bonus unlock
	Medium Green Acorn	5 points towards bonus unlock
	Chestnuts	20 points towards bonus unlock
	Walnut	Scrat likes to collect all of these before he leaves an area
	Golden Nut	The most elusive Acorn of all
	Fruit	Replenishes Scrat's energy

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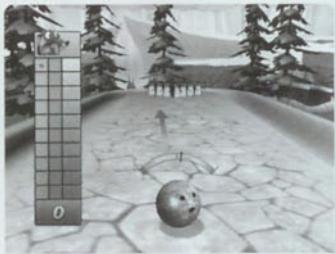
## SID SLIDE

Take on the most feared water slide in the park, "The Eviscerator"!



## PENGUIN-BOWLING

Score 100 points in an icy game of bowling!



## MONKEY SHOOTING GALLERY

Teach those rascally monkeys a lesson and win a walnut!



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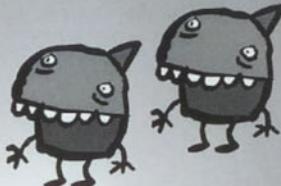
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